Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Before 1906, only a lonesome scattering of log homes and sod shanties covered the open range and rolling plains where Draper, South Dakota, now stands; and,

WHEREAS, In 1906, with the coming of the westward-reaching railroad, Draper sprang to life as a vigorous pioneer community; and,

WHEREAS, The little town has survived many big challenges, including the 1913 fire, which destroyed two-thirds of the business places; and,

WHEREAS, People of the Draper community have enjoyed the fellowship provided over the years by Prairie Home Literary, the Chautauquas, the community picnics, and the round-ups and rodeos; and,

WHEREAS, Today, Draper commemorates its Diamond Jubilee with the enthusiasm befitting the pride of its residents and friends:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, August 9, 1981, as

DRAPER JUBILEE DAY

in South Dakota, and I personally thank the people of the area for befriending the thousands of tourists and visitors to our state who have stopped by the friendly town on the prairie.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-third Day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-One

William Janklow
WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alice Kundert
ALICE KUNDERT, ~~SECRETARY OF~~ STATE

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